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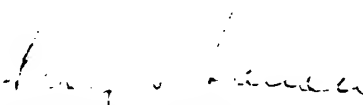
Mr. Michael J. Davies, Publisher
HARTFORD COURANT
285 Broad Street
Hartford, CT 06115

Dear Mr. Davies:

I noted with interest the editorial entitled "The CIA on Campus" which appeared in the COURANT on 31 January.

Thank you for your objective editorial. With the thought that you, appropriate members of your staff, including the writer of the editorial, and your readers may be interested in the full text of Deputy Director Robert Gates' remarks at Harvard on 13 February, I have enclosed a copy of his speech.

Sincerely,


George V. Lauder
Director, Public Affairs